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A GOOD PLACE TO TRADE.

The M. D. Elections.

The annual meeting of the ratepayers of Inga municipal district was held in Stony Plain on Saturday afternoon last, with the returning officer Mr Joe Best in the chair. The discussion on the various topics brought up was noticeable for its quietness. Toward the close of the meeting nominations were received for the office of Councillors in Divs. 1, 4 and 6. The sitting councillors in Divisions 1 and 4, Messrs. Muri McKinlay and Hopkins, were returned unopposed; but in Div. 6, which has been represented for two years by the energetic Rheinhold Goetz, an opponent was nominated. Mr Joseph Kulak of Rosenthal is the "opposite" to this. This promises to be a very interesting tussle for the hours.

A the annual meeting of ratepayers of Spruce Grove Municipal District on Saturday last, at the Grove, the following were nominated as Councillors in divisions 2, 4, 5 and 6:

Div. 2--Dan H. Giese and John Schultz.

Div. 4--George Debenham and L. Sinclair.

Div. 5--S. G. Hagen and J. Sinclair; for 1 year, to replace J. Couch.

Div. 6--Dan Brox and Ed. Steffler.

The polling takes place next Friday in each of the divisions named.

Sporting Notes.

Mr W. W. Thompson, of the local curling club, skipped a party of local curlers at the Edmonton bonspiel last week, and scored a win.

Stony Plain hockey players meet Spruce Grove next Sunday on the local rink.

A meeting of lady curlers was held last week at the home of Mrs Wight, when all present were organised into a club. Mrs Wight is president.

Reception to an Old-timer

A party of friends met at the home of Mr John Willie, of Comet district, on the afternoon of Feb. 18th, to congratulate him on the anniversary of his 79th birthday. Mr Willie is one of the district's oldest residents, coming here from Ontario in the year 1892, and settling on the farm on which he now resides.

The afternoon was spent in a very enjoyable manner, which included a daisy birthday dinner, to which all did ample justice. Several of the old-time songs were sung, Mr Willie contributing several numbers.

Among those present were: Mr and Mrs Dan Brox, Mr and Mrs Louis Willie, Mr and Mrs Ismael Umbach, Mrs Fritz Willie, Mrs Dittmer, Mr P. S. Washburn, Gus Munroe and daughters, John Kotscherofsky, John A. B. Berry, A. Willie, J. H. Miller, John A. Willie.

The Sun Letter Box.

[The Editor does not accept responsibility for opinions expressed in this column.]

Editor Stony Plain Sun:

Sir: I would be pleased if you would put in the enclosed few lines for me as an answer to the letter appearing in last week's paper from some poor old mossback signing himself "A Car(e)less Farmer".

"Wide bench sleighs mean prosperity in the winter time. Wide bench sleighs will keep the roads open. Wide bench sleighs will break the roads sufficiently for you to get your car over and keep it rolling over the open roads of Alberta's winter period. There is only one thing to do--Get them." FARMER AUTOIST.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr Brooks returned Tuesday from a trip through the settlements on the Mountain Park branch railway.

Mr J. Miller, the well-known merchant, returned Saturday from Banff.

Mr Loren Oatway was the guest of friends in the city on Saturday, and was a spectator of the big hockey game in the evening at the Arena.

Mr A. E. Michael was down to business on Monday, after being laid up for a week with an attack of la grippe.

Miss Suzanne Miller, a popular schoolgirl in Stony, was operated on last week in the City for appendicitis. The operation was successful, and the young lady is now making good progress toward recovery.

Mr and Mrs Gus Gitzel are attending a wedding celebration at Rabbit Hills this week.

Mr D. McKinlay returned Saturday from a three day trip to Nanajay.

While visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs F. Goebel, near Spruce Grove, last week, Mrs Dammhauer had the misfortune to fall down the cellar stairs, injuring herself severely, breaking three ribs and dislocating her shoulder blade.

That worthy Celestial, Mr Wong June, who has been running an "experimental" farm in this district for several seasons, leaves next week for Regina, to engage in business.

Mr Louie Fuhr, formerly with Mr Ducholke, has opened an implement agency in the warehouse to the rear of the Michael hardware store, and will handle John Deere farm machinery.

The local school was closed yesterday, a public holiday.

Mr Werner is said to have resigned as agent for the Rex Tailoring Co.

The proposed meeting of Inga Councillors on Saturday last, was not held, as only about half of the councillors were present.

Mr and Mrs F. M. Ulmer, who left Stony Plain about a year ago to reside in Portland, Oregon, are expected back here in a short time, on a business trip.

Patrons here of the Imperial Co. will be pleased to know that Mr H. Ingram will not relinquish his position as local agent, as had been reported.

At the inaugural meeting of Stony Plain Council on the 19th the standing committees appointed for 1925 are, Building Committee--Hy Oppertshauser, and Hy Miller; Road Committee--Dr Oatway and L. Zilliox; Pound and Light Committee--R. B. Brooks and A. E. Michael. A number of accounts were passed and ordered paid. Mr F. W. Laudy was re-appointed Sec. Treas., and Dr Oatway re-appointed M. O. H.

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Get a pair of our "Skookum" Boots. They will throw the Wet better than any Boot we know.

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All Kinds of Rubbers for "When the Snow begins to Melt."

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A Dangerous Campaign

An increasingly aggressive campaign is being waged in different parts of Canada by certain organizations and interests in favor of the adoption by the Dominion Government of a policy of export duties, or embargoes, on a number of Canadian products, and the list of such products is being added to as the campaign progresses. This, too, is inevitable because if "protection" is to be provided in one case, it is promptly demanded by others, and, further, the imposition of export duties on one article inevitably affects other articles and industries.

Canada has for the past forty years experimented with the policy of protective duties on imports, but few people will be found to declare that the policy has proven a success and brought that development of natural resources and industry, that absence of unemployment, that increase in population, and that abounding prosperity which the advocates of high tariff protection claimed for it. On the contrary, manufacturers, artisans, laborers and the great body of the consuming public are all complaining and clamoring for something which tariff protection has failed to give them and can never give them. The people of Canada are now asked to experiment with the policy of export duties on top import duties. These export duties will, so the advocates say, develop our natural resources for home use, encourage manufacturing industries, provide employment, increase population, and bring national prosperity. In a word, export duties are going to accomplish what the import duties were to have done and failed to do.

The economic and financial programme now being mapped out in these "protective" quarters contemplates higher import duties to keep out of Canada foreign-made articles, and the imposition of export duties to prevent Canadian products going out of the Dominion except in a completely manufactured state.

Among the products, or natural resources, upon which it has thus far been proposed that export duties should be imposed are logs and pulpwood, water powers and the electrical energy developed from the same, nickel and wheat. While import duties are advocated and imposed as against the whole world, the export duties are clearly designed to be imposed against one country only, namely, the United States.

Supposing the United States chose to regard such a policy as an "unfriendly act" and adopted a policy of retaliation. What then? What would happen to the cotton mills of Canada and of Great Britain if the United States imposed a prohibitive export duty on raw cotton as a reply to the Canadian imposition of an export duty on pulpwood? Would Canadian and British industry be benefited, increased employment provided, added population and increased prosperity result?

Or, suppose in reply to a Canadian embargo on the export of hydro-electric power, or an export of oranges, bananas, lemons, raisins, and other articles of food which Canada cannot itself produce?

No man in his senses would propose an export duty on Canadian wheat going to all countries, because Canada must export its wheat. It cannot mill it all into flour, and even if we could and did, Canadians could not consume it, and other countries might say "if you won't let us have any of your wheat, we don't want your flour." A general export duty on Canada's wheat would simply paralyze the Dominion. It would be a terrible price to pay to further the flour milling industry which, as it is, is growing—by leaps and bounds and paying good dividends.

These two neighboring countries, the United States and Canada, are in many respects complementary to each other. In regard to certain products, they are inter-dependent. Man, not nature, drew an imaginary dividing line across the continent from east to west, a line which the good sense of both peoples has kept free of irritating custom and fortifications. Mistakes have been made in the past in the erection of tariff walls between the two countries, and the United States has been the chief offender, but it was Canada who rejected the last overture in 1911 for greater freedom in trade. It should be the policy of both countries now to lower the existing barriers, rather than to raise them or create new ones. Both countries would benefit from such a policy.

On the other hand, both must suffer from the inauguration of policies leading to retaliatory export duties, and possibly the greatest loss of all would be a lessening of the good feeling now prevailing between the Dominion and the Republic and the engendering of feelings of bitterness and hostility. It is sincerely to be hoped that Canadian statesmen will hesitate a long time before being stampeded into adopting a policy of export duties. Apart from everything else, Canada has not yet reached that stage of development, nor attained that population, where the imposition of export duties are either desirable or necessary.

Wallpaper Two Centuries Old
Antique wallpaper, 200 years old, will be used on the walls of a room being built in the English furniture galleries at South Kensington Museum. The room will be a copy of an eighteenth century apartment and will contain furniture made at or about the time when Queen Anne died. The wallpaper has been taken from a room in an old house in Gloucester, where it has hung for two centuries.

Rocky Mountain Sheep For Austria
A somewhat unusual consignment passed through Montreal recently in care of the Dominion Express Company in the form of six Rocky Mountain sheep, which are enroute to Austria to form part of a zoological exhibit there. The animals, which are valued at \$600, came from the National Park at Banff, Alberta, and will travel to their destination via New York.

WANTED-INVENTIONS

During the past 14 years we have patented thousands of inventions for clients and placed these before the manufacturers, who are constantly coming from us in search of new inventions of merit. Recently a client patented an oil can from which he is receiving several thousands of dollars annual profit. Another client patented a simple electric motor, which is now being sold for \$25,000. Tens of thousands of dollars are being made by the use of our inventions. We have many more inventions to offer. If you are a manufacturer, inventor, or business man, we can help you. Write for our latest list of inventions.

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Old Convent Is Re-opened

English Nuns Live Same As Inmates Of 700 Years Ago
After being used for secular purposes for close upon 400 years, a 13th century convent building at Burnham, Buckinghamshire, is once again in the occupation of a community of nuns. They are today leading almost exactly the same life as that adopted by the inmates in 1266 A.D., while their dress, their services, and their prayers and meditations are similar to those of nearly 700 years ago.

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Defends Reputation Of Post
Edwin Markham leaps loyally to the defence of a brother paper's reputation. Edgar Allan Poe, he says, could never have written seventeen masterly examples of literature if he had been a drunkard.

SHE NERVES SO BAD SHE COULD NOT SLEEP

Mrs. Grace Ritchie, St. George, Ont., writes: "After having a severe attack of pneumonia I was left in a weak and run-down condition. My nerves were so bad I could not sleep nights, and in the day time I had terrible fainting spells caused by my heart being weak. Finally I got so bad I had to take to my bed for weeks at a time, but one day I read about

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so decided to try them. After taking one box I felt a slight improvement. I have now taken five boxes, and have gained 25 pounds in weight. I am now more than able to do all my own household work as well as considerable outside work. I cannot recommend Milburn's H. & N. Pills too highly for those suffering as I did."

Japan Interested In Canadian Sheep

Animals Imported From Canada Have Been Found Satisfactory

The Japanese Government is doing everything possible to encourage the raising of sheep in Japan. Not more than 15,000 to 20,000 pounds of wool have so far been produced in any one year, against the importations of 68,000,000 pounds a year, says A. E. Bryan, from Kobe, Japan, in The Commercial Intelligence Journal. He reports that small numbers of animals have already been imported from Canada, and the Japanese authorities have found these animals very satisfactory and class them as the second best so far received from any country.

The most obstinate corns fail to resist Holloway's Corn Remover. Try it.

The Whaling Industry
The whale industry in British Columbia produces annually about 400 tons of whale bone meat and 900 tons of meat and blood for fertilizing purposes. A small quantity of this is sold as fertilizer in the province and the remainder is exported, principally to the United States.

It is well to be in touch with many people. The man who keeps other people from looking in on him shuts the windows and draws the curtains so that he can't look out.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

MARCH 1

CHRIST BEFORE PILATE

Golden Text: He was wounded for our transgressions. He was bruised for our iniquities. Isaiah 53:5.
Lesson: Matthew 27:11-31.
Devotional Reading: Isaiah 53:1-6.

The Text Explained and Illuminated
Pilate Questions Jesus, verses 11-14. Now Jesus stood before the governor. "When the King walked away with his captors he did it because he was willing, not because he was helpless. What a combination runs through his life! Humiliation and glory are always associated—you never find one without the other. He was born a weak infant—yet archangels attended his birth. He submitted to baptism—yet above him were the open heavens declaring, 'This is my beloved son.' He craved water from a woman—yet gave the price of a fountain within the soul. He slept in the boat like a tired man—yet, commanded the waves as their Master. He wept at the grave of Lazarus—yet sent his voice into the spirit world to call him back. They came to take a prisoner—he stretched out willing hands. He stands a prisoner at the bar—yet he commands the judge" (Dr. Griffin W. Bull).

And the governor asked him, saying, "Art thou the King of the Jews?" Can't you see Pilate, with something of contempt and something of pity in his looks, as he put the question to the prisoner before him—the Man wearied, deserted, bound—and thought him a pathetic picture of royalty? That Jesus claimed to be the King of the Jews was the accusation made (which was true) because they wished a political charge, one hostile to Roman supremacy, in order to influence Pilate. "Thou sayest," was Jesus's reply. "One is hardly prepared for such a reply to an equivocal question, and there is a temptation to seek escape by taking the words interrogatively—Dost they say so? or, evasively—You say, I make no statement. Explanations such as are given in John 18:37 were certainly necessary" (Expositor's Greek Testament).

Urged Registration Of Sires
Hearty endorsement of the plan of advancing registration for bulls is recommended by the central cattle committee, was given at Toronto by the annual meeting of the dual purpose Shorthorn Club of Canada.

Persistent Asthma. A most distressing characteristic of this debilitating disease is the persistence with which recurring attacks come to sap away strength and leave the sufferer in a state of almost continual exhaustion. No prior precaution can be taken (than that of keeping at hand a supply of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's asthma Remedy, which is the most potent remedy for eradicating the disease from the tender air passages.

Immigrants From U.S.
During the past year 6,477 persons entered Western Canada from the United States, as compared with 8,704 in 1921, according to a report issued by immigration officials. The 1922 immigrants brought with them cash totalling \$1,995,347 and effects to the value of \$244,151.

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Proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for

Lumbago Colds

Headache Pain

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Safe

Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proven directions.

Handy "Bayer" boxes of 12 tablets. Also bottles of 24 and 100—Druggists.

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Jap Suffragettes

Japanese women have formed an organization to obtain full suffrage rights. The society says that Japan has more than 4,000,000 women doing men's work. Only four per cent. of the women invited to the first suffrage meeting attended.

HELP FOR TIRED NERVOUS PEOPLE

Found in the Use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

Are you pale and weak, tired most of the time, out of breath on slight exertion? Are you nervous, is your sleep disturbed so that rest does not refresh you?

Is your appetite poor, your digestion weak and do you have pains after eating?

If you have any of these symptoms you need the help of such reliable tonic as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Read what Mr. W. W. Francis, of Calgary, Alta., says of this tonic. "After returning from overseas," writes Mr. Francis, "my whole system was in a badly run-down condition. I became nervous, irritable, pale and lost weight. Of course I was given treatment and recommended many tonics, some of which I took, but with no apparent result. At last I could not resist any longer. My sister, who is in England, wrote and urged me to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial, and I can scarcely say how glad I am that I took her advice. My friends were surprised at my complete recovery, but I assured them it was due entirely to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I now always keep a box on hand in case of emergency."

If you are alling give these pills a fair trial and they will not disappoint you. Sold by all dealers in medicine or sent by mail at 50 cents a box by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

In 1865 a coach and mail service was begun between Boston and Hartford.

All mothers can put away anxiety regarding their suffering children when they have Mother Graves' Worm Extirpator to give relief. Its effects are sure and lasting.

King George gave a hundred pounds of coal to all the poor people in the royal borough of Windsor above the age of 60 years.

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Prominent British Woman Speaks Of Impressions Gained In A Trip Across Canada

Mrs. Philip Snowden, wife of the chancellor of the exchequer in the Ramsay MacDonald Government of Great Britain, who recently visited Canada, likes the weather, and has been favorably impressed with what she has seen in a general way of the Dominion. In an interview with the press she is credited with saying: "I think the Canadian weather is perfectly lovely. So bracing, I have never found Canada cold. I shivered a little in Vancouver, but that is because the climate is so much like that of England. It was raining a little while on the coast and the misty atmosphere of the Pacific winter made me almost homesick for England. It is hard to talk about the west. The wonderful expanse of prairie and the magnificent beauty of the Rockies left me nearly breathless. I still feel rather stunned when I think of them. The prairies, I think, are Canada's greatest heritage. It is really thrilling when speeding through the west to watch them rolling away in the distance and think of the millions who feed and live from these lands. Prairie people possess some subtle quality that no other people possess. They seem so open and untrammelled. It is something they have gained from the country they live in I suppose. It is certainly a privilege to know them."

"After days of travel across the prairies one almost begins to think there is nothing else. Then come the foothills of the Canadian Rocky Mountains, which tell of the peaks in the distance. One realizes it is still Canada, and it seems strange that so much is contained in one country. When I saw the Alps I was awed, but when I saw the Rockies I have not the words to tell you of my impressions, and the western cities, too, are wonderful. They are so new and free and clean. They seem to have left all that is tawdry and western behind them. Winnipeg, I am sure, is one of the healthiest spots in the world. The atmosphere is so brisk it compels one to throw back the shoulders and take a deep breath. Vancouver, with its magnificent situation and proximity to the wonderful mountains, is the country's most beautiful city, I think. The days I spent in Western Canada will always be prominent in my memory, and I know that when I leave I shall begin to look forward to the time when I may perhaps come back for another visit."

Tribesmen Build Auto Highway

Tourists May Now Visit Famous Rice Terraces in Manila

The famous rice terraces of the Ilocos tribe in the border region of the mountain provinces, which always have been inaccessible to the outside world, except over a narrow mountain trail, will henceforth be accessible to tourists in motor cars. The Ilocos tribesmen have themselves completed the roads over which automobiles can now reach their territory, 5,000 feet above sea level.

The engineering accomplishment of the Ilocos, by which they irrigate their rice fields on the mountain sides, even through their supplements are of the crudest kind, have attracted the attention of irrigation engineers from many foreign countries.

Canada As a Wheat Producer

Dominion Takes Second Place Only to the United States

On the basis of the crops during the last five years, Canada is second among the world's wheat producers. The United States, which has 15 times Canada's population, having first place. Of the nine leading wheat exporting countries in 1923-24, which between them sent out 628,501,000 bushels, Canada is credited with 232,474,590 bushels, these figures relating to the crop year. She exported approximately as much as the United States, Argentina and Australia together.

After Fifty Years

I have taken part in Canadian public life for fifty years, and at the end of it I can tell you that Canada is miles farther from looking to Washington than she was half a century ago.—Sir George Foster.

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Cross Fertilization of Wheat

Produces Best Results At Guelph Agricultural College

Of the forty leading varieties of winter wheat under test at the Ontario Agricultural College in each of the past five years, the six kinds which gave the highest average yield per acre all produced at the college by cross fertilization and selection, some of which have not yet been distributed throughout Ontario. Of the 52 varieties of winter wheat grown under test in the past year the 12 highest yields were all produced at the college through hybridization and selection with but two exceptions, namely Dawson's Golden Chaff which came fourth, and Red Rock which came tenth in the tests.

Demand For Horses

Claim Made Truck Horses Cheaper Than Motor Cars

The horseless age may be on the way, but it has not arrived yet. Pleading with the city to leave more snow on the streets, so that horses could draw their heavy loads more easily, Thomas E. Moore, secretary of the Montreal Team Owners' Association, claimed that \$12,000,000 was invested in the horse industry here; that \$15,000,000 is paid annually to drivers; and that \$4,000,000 is spent yearly for horse feed.

The demand for big, strong truck horses is growing constantly, according to Moore, who claims they have been proved more economical than motor trucks.

Homestead Entries

3,515 Homesteads Taken Up In Four Western Provinces In 1924

Free grant homesteads and soldier grants taken up in the four western provinces in 1924, up to the end of October, total 628,450 acres. In Manitoba 475 homesteads and 62 soldier grant entries were recorded; 1,650 homesteads and 231 soldier grants in Saskatchewan; 959 homesteads and 376 soldier grants in Alberta; and 195 homesteads and 27 soldier grants in British Columbia. The total number of homesteads taken up in the four provinces was 2,151, as compared with 2,749 for the whole of 1923. Total soldier grant taken up were 552, as compared with 462 in 1923.

The Wheat Market

Many persons in Canada and in many other parts of the world have come to the conclusion that there is such a thing as having too much wheat, and with more wheat than one can carry, it becomes an alarming and threatening nuisance. A bladed in the granary is worth many bushels hanging by a narrow margin—Calgary, Alberta.

STATION CNRW, WINNIPEG, "ON THE AIR"



Radio station CNRW, operated by the Canadian National Railways at Winnipeg, Manitoba, has found an admirable studio in the Concert Room, located on the seventh floor of the Fort Garry, the company's hotel in the Western Gateway City, according to opinions expressed by listeners in all parts of Canada and the United States. The acoustic properties of this room lend themselves splendidly to telephone transmission; plenty of space is available for properly placing

Alberta Sugar Factory

A Million Dollar Plant Is Projected For Raymond

Announcement is made by the Utah-Idaho Sugar Company, that the company would commence construction at once of a million dollar sugar factory at Raymond. Six thousand acres of beets have been signed up by irrigation farmers on Southern Alberta projects.

The sugar company will move a plant from Yakima Valley, Washington, where beet pests from desert hordes made the growing of beets unprofitable.

Two more factories will be erected in irrigated districts of Southern Alberta if the Raymond factory proves the success expected. The Raymond factory will have a capacity of one thousand tons of beets daily and will be ready to slice beets by next October. Tomorrow this year will be grown on well prepared land, and between 75,000 and 100,000 tons of beets will be grown.

Market For Western Fish

Six Million Pounds Shipped to East in Four Months

Manitoba goldies, succulent whitefish, tullibees and other toothsome members of the finny tribe, to the amount of more than six million pounds, moved by express from Western Canada to the fresh fish markets of Eastern Canada and the United States, during the period November 15, 1923, to March 1, 1924, according to figures presented by G. E. Hollerose, general superintendent of transportation, to a regional meeting of the Canadian National Express Company. As a result of providing a refrigerated car express service which places fish on the New York markets on the third morning after leaving Winnipeg, a better market has been created for the products of western lakes, with consequent benefit to those engaged in the fishing industry in Western Canada.

Ontario Offers Assistance

Can Supply Saskatchewan With Suitable Type of Breeding Sheep

Reviewing last year's operations at the annual meeting of the Ontario Sheep Breeders' Association held in Toronto, President James Bowman, Guelph, stated there was a marked shortage in wool and breeding stock, while the consumption was becoming greater with each succeeding year.

E. W. Wade, director of livestock, Ontario department of agriculture, said there was to be found in Ontario the finest breeding stock on the North American continent. If the sheep breeders in Saskatchewan had experienced difficulty in securing breeding animals of a suitable type and quality to meet their requirements, suitable breeding stock could be purchased in carload lots in Ontario and shipped under the supervision of the Ontario Sheep Breeders' Association.

A genius is a man who can induce some other man to paddle his canoe for him.

Planting Of Trees Gives The Spirit Of Permanence That The West Most Needs

Poultry and Egg Pool

Saskatchewan Organization Decides to Go Ahead With Plan

Organization of an egg and poultry pool for Saskatchewan was decided upon at a meeting of the special committee of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association executive.

The pool will be organized on a contract basis in co-operation with the provincial department of agriculture. Provisions will be made in the contracts for the egg pool to operate in 1926 and the poultry pool this year.

A representative organization committee was appointed as follows: G. F. Edwards, president of the S.G.A.; W. H. Beesley, Moose Jaw, secretary of the Saskatchewan Marketing Association; H. W. Ketcheson, manager of the Davidson Co-operative Association; W. Waldron, acting markets commissioner for Saskatchewan; Mrs. Ida McNeil, Expanse, president of the Women's G.O.A.; John Holmes, convenor of the W.G.G.A. marketing committee.

Ship Buffalo to Far North

Two Thousand Head to be Transferred From Wainwright to Northern Sanctuary

Two thousand head of young buffalo will take a 700-mile trek this summer, from the park at Wainwright to the wild buffalo reserve on the Slave River, there to roam with the wild buffalo, already established in the woody tract between the Slave River, Hay River and Peace River. For some time past the problem of disposing the surplus stock of the Wainwright herd has caused the government some thought, but the plan of sending part of the herd to the northern sanctuary should alleviate conditions at Wainwright and still retain for Canada the largest buffalo herd in existence.

Encouraging Report

Dairy Production in Saskatchewan Increasing Very Rapidly

Production in dairy products in Saskatchewan has doubled in the last five years, according to a statement made by J. A. Smith, president of the Saskatchewan Dairy Association. The output of creamery butter in 1924 reached 13,500,000 pounds and the total output of the dairy products was valued at \$15,252,829. Winter dairying is now attracting many farmers.

Liquor in the North

A total of 235,455 gallons of intoxicants was authorized for consumption in the whole of sub-Arctic section of the Dominion known as the Northwest Territories in 1923. 119 permits were issued, mostly for one and two gallons of liquor. Scotch was the favorite, rum second, brandy third. Wine was not a favorite.

The writer had occasion recently to travel through a strip of country just north of the city of Lethbridge in Southern Alberta, a strip which had been brought under irrigation last year. Farms had been worked for years on what is called a "dry farming basis." In "wet years" great crops of wheat were raised, but the "wet years" not being frequent, the farmers organized themselves for irrigation and with the assistance of the government, a system was constructed.

Coming as we had from one of the older irrigated tracts where many of the farmers had splendid groves of trees, this new tract seemed barren. Farms houses, some of them very fine homes indeed, stood out nakedly against the sky. The farms were large, 640 acres in many cases. Homes were at long intervals and there was lacking that close neighborhood communion so evident in older districts. There were no trees.

Here was a district in process of transition. A few years hence it will be well treed and closely settled. Already the large individual holdings were being cut up into smaller parcels, and new settlers were coming in to take up these surplus areas. We stopped to talk to one of the newcomers. Almost the first subject he mentioned was trees!

"I've had come from a territory of scrub and irregular rainfall. In common with farmers the world over he had had his troubles and worries. Now, in his new location, with water running in ditches by his fields, he was discovering a new outlook and this outlook he expressed in his trees."

"In a few years," he said, "you won't know this place for trees!"

"O yes," he replied to the place, "I'm going to build my house. I can get the water all around that spot and it won't be long before I have a good grove of trees—cottonwoods and maples. And along that road there'll be a line of poplars. I'll run a solid wall of evergreen hedge. That man has an aim in life, he is planning far ahead into the future—he is planting trees. Therein expressed vividly the new spirit that is invigorating the west—the spirit of permanence that the west most needs.—C. J. Broderick in Canadian Forest and Outdoors.

Shortage Of Sheep

A Scarcity Of Wool Supplies The World Over

Commenting on the cable from London on the dearth of wool supplies, G. E. O'Brien, of the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers' Association, said: "World consumption of wool in the last three years has been 300,000,000 pounds greater than the pre-war consumption. The number of sheep in the world today is less than before the war. In Canada the sheep and lambs numbered 3,000,000 in 1921 and only 2,500,000 in 1924. The shorn clip was 10,000,000 pounds in 1921 as against 15,000,000 in 1921. The best we can hope for in 1925 is a shorn clip of 12,000,000 pounds. There is no reason why the bulk of the wool consumed in Canada should not be grown here to the benefit of farmers and consumers."

Manitoba Butler

Many Awards Are Secured In Keenest Competition

In keenest competition at various fairs and exhibitions held in all parts of Canada and the United States, Manitoba butter manufacturers in 1923 secured 61 first, 92 second, 51 thirds, 19 other prizes, 2 first in provincial championships, one silver cup, one highest award for average score and one sweepstake.

Are We So Funny?

Scientists predict that in 100 years there will be nothing in the world to laugh at. But they're wrong because 100 years from now the people living will laugh every time they think of us.—Buffalo Post.

English Boys Coming Out

Another party of English boys is enroute to the Overmans Settlement Road Farm at Vermilion. More parties will follow until the farm's quota of 100 boys is filled.

A Romance of the Spanish Main CAPTAIN BLOOD

RAFAEL SABATINI

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"CAPTAIN BLOOD," a Vinegar picture with J. Warren Kerrigan
in the title role, is an adaptation of this thrilling novel.

SYNOPSIS

Peter Blood, a young Irish physician, is wrongly condemned and sent as a slave to the Barbadoes under orders of King James. There at the behest of Arabella Bishop, niece of the military commander, he is purchased by Bishop. A Spanish galleon, under command of Don Diego de Espinosa y Valdez, bombards the city and captures it. Blood saves Mary Trill and Arabella. He leads his fellow rebels, convict on board the ship and captures it. When Don Diego returns he takes him prisoner also and announces the ship as his prize. Colonel Bishop goes aboard the ship when the firing ceases and Blood holds him as host until safely out of port. Blood orders Don Diego to sail for Curacao, but the Spaniard betrays him and sails the ship under the very guns of Don Diego's brother's ship. Blood and Don Diego fight and the Don is overpowered. Blood ties Don Diego to a cannon's mouth and forces his son to consent to help him make peace with the Spaniards by telling them all is well on the Cincos Lagos.

CHAPTER XII.—Continued

"If you please, Don Miguel, but that is the very thing you must not do—the very thing Don Diego does not wish you to do. For the truth is that his wounds are not so grave as to have prevented his coming. It was his consideration of himself and the false position in which you would be placed if you had direct proof from him of what has happened. Captain Blood paused a moment. "What you hear from us is no more than a mere rumor. Your excellency understands. His excellency frowned thoughtfully. "I understand . . . in part," said he.

"Captain Blood had a moment's uneasiness.

"And we have in the boat below two chests containing fifty thousand pieces of eight, which we are to deliver to your excellency."

"Not another word, in the name of Heaven!" cried the Admiral in alarm. "My brother wishes me to assume charge of this money, to carry it to Spain for him? Well, that is a family matter between my brother and myself." He broke off. "Hunt! A glass of Malaga in my cabin, if you please," he invited them, "whilst the chests are being hauled aboard."

And whilst others carried on board the two chests, the Admiral and Captain Blood exchanged words that damned eternally the besotted James who occupied the throne of England. At the end Don Esteban timidly urged:

"My father is in haste to reach San Domingo. He desired me to stay no longer than necessary to embrace you. If you will give us leave, then, sir uncle."

In the circumstances "sir uncle" did not insist.

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As they stepped into the waist of the Cincos Lagos, Hagthorpe advanced to receive them. Blood observed the set, almost scared expression on his face.

"Don Diego . . ." he was beginning, and then stopped, and looked curiously at Blood.

Noting the pause and the look, Esteban bounded forward, his face livid. "Have you broken faith, you cur? Has he come to harm?" he cried—and the six Spaniards behind him grew clamorous with furious questionings.

"We do not break faith," said Hagthorpe firmly, so firmly that he quieted them. "And in this case there was not the need. Don Diego died in his bonds before ever you reached the Encarnacion."

Peter Blood said nothing. "Died!" screamed Esteban. "You killed him, you mean. Of what did he die?"

Hagthorpe looked at the boy. "I am a judge," he said, "Don Diego died of fear."

Don Esteban struck Hagthorpe across the face at that, and Hagthorpe would have struck back, but that Blood got between, whilst his followers seized the lad.

"He died before I left the Cincos Lagos," said Blood. "He was hanging dead in his bonds when I spoke to him about leaving."

"If I had known that," the lad said at last in a thick voice, "you would be hanging from the yard-arm of the Encarnacion at this moment. But you'll hang there yet."

Captain Blood shrugged, and turned on his heel. But he did not do that account disregard the words, nor did Hagthorpe, as they showed at a council held that night in the cabin.

This council was met to determine what should be done with the Spaniards. Considering that Curacao now lay beyond their reach. It had been decided that, going east of Hispaniola, and then sailing along its northern coast, they should make for Tortuga, that haven of the buccanniers. It was now a question whether they should convey the Spaniards thither with them, or turn them off in a boat to make the best of their way to the coast of Hispaniola, which was but ten miles off. This course urged by Blood was determined.

CHAPTER XIII.

Tortuga

At daybreak Don Esteban and his followers were put off in a boat. Two days later, the Cincos Lagos sailed into the rock-bound bay of Cayana, which nature seemed to have designed for the stronghold of those who had appropriated it.

It was Blood's original intention to make his way to France or Holland. But in the long weeks of waiting at Tortuga for a ship to convey him to one or the other of these countries, his resources dwindled, and finally vanished. Also, there was a good deal to oppress Peter Blood. There was the thought of Arabella Bishop. He was maddened by the tormenting lure of the unattainable. He desired Arabella, yet knew her beyond his reach irrevocably and for all time. He was, when all is said, an escaped slave, an outlaw in his own land and a homeless outcast in any other. There remained the sea, which is free to all, and particularly alluring to those who feel themselves at war with humanity. And temptations proceeded not only from adventurous buccanneries acquaintances in the taverns of that evil haven of Tortuga, but even from M. d'Oregon, the governor of the island, who levied as his harbor dues a percentage of one-tenth of all spoils brought into the bay, and who plotted further by any means upon money which he was desired to convert into bills of exchange upon France.

Moreover, to a man, those who had escaped with Peter Blood from the Barbadoes plantations, and who, consequently, like himself, knew not whether to turn were all resolved upon the joining the great Brotherhood of the Coast, as those rovers called themselves. And they united theirs to the other voices that were persuading Blood, demanding that he should continue now in the leadership which he had enjoyed since they had left Bar-

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badoes, and swearing to follow him loyally whithersoever he should lead them.

If he resisted so long, it was the thought of Arabella Bishop that restrained him. And so, although he might entertain no delusive hope of ever winning her for his own, of ever seeing her again, yet the memory of her was to abide in his soul as a bitter-sweet, purifying influence.

The resolve being taken, he went actively to work. Oregon, most accommodating of governors, advanced him money for the proper equipment of his ship, the Cincos Lagos, which he renamed the Arabella. To the score of followers he already possessed he added three-score more, picking his men with caution and discrimination (and he was an exceptional judge of men) from amongst the adventurers of



"My Name is Levasseur"

Tortuga. With them all he entered into the articles usual among the Brethren of the Coast, under which each man was to be paid by a share in the prizes captured.

Towards the end of December, when the hurricane season had blown itself out, he put to sea in his well-found, well-manned ship, and before he returned in the following May from a protracted and adventurous cruise, the fame of Captain Peter Blood had run like ripples before the breeze across the face of the Caribbean Sea.

One day, as he sat with Hagthorpe and Wolverstone over a pipe and a bottle of rum in the stifling rook of tar and stale tobacco of a waterside tavern, he was accosted by a splendid ruffian in a gold-laced coat of dark blue satin, with a crimson sash, a foot wide, with the waist.

"C'est vous qu'on appelle Le Sang?" the fellow halted him.

"My name," he said, "is Peter Blood. The Spaniards know me by Don Pedro Sangre, and a Frenchman may call me Le Sang if he pleases."

"Good!" "My name," he informed the three men, two of whom at least were eyeing him askance, "is Levasseur. You may have heard of me."

They had, indeed. He commanded a privateer of twenty guns that had dropped anchor in the bay a week ago, manned by a crew mainly composed of French buccanniers from Northern Hispaniola, men who had good cause to hate the Spaniard with an intensity exceeding that of the English. Levasseur had brought them back to Tortuga from an indifferently successful cruise. A roaring, quarrelsome.

Quick Relief For

Rheumatism

Mrs. Bert Young, of Filch Bay, Que., writes as follows: "I could not turn over in bed at night. I tried doctors and sent off for medicines which did me no good, but after using three bottles of Minard's, my rheumatism left me entirely, and I have never felt so well since."

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hard-drinking, hard-gaming scoundrel, his reputation, as a buccannier stood high among the wild Brethren of the Coast.

It was current gossip that even Mademoiselle d'Oregon, the governor's daughter, had been caught in the snare of his wild attractiveness, and that Levasseur had gone the length of audacity of asking her hand in marriage of her father. M. d'Oregon and showed him the door.

This was the man who now thrust himself upon Captain Blood with a proposal of association, offering him not only his sword, but his ship and the men who sailed in her.

Because he disliked the man, Captain Blood would not commit himself at once. But, because he liked the proposal, he consented to consider it. Being afterwards pressed by both Hagthorpe and Wolverstone—who did not share his own personal dislike of the Frenchman, the end of the matter was that within a week articles were drawn up between Levasseur and Blood, and signed by them, and, as was usual, by the chosen representatives of their followers. These articles contained the common provisions

LITTLE HELPS FOR THIS WEEK

They shall mount up with wings—Isa. xl, 31.

Let us be like the bird for a moment perched

On a frail branch while he sings; Though he feels it bend, yet he sings his song.

For he knows that he has wings. —Peter Hugo.

The soul is free. It has wings in the joy of pure emotion, in the upspringing night of faith, in the ardent flight of love, in the liberty of exultant hope. Love is always winged. If you would conquer your hesitations, rise to a more glorious benevolence, enjoy a livelier consciousness of eternal things, and have your Christian duties delighted; get the ardent, unselfish, consecrated heart of love through the grace of the Holy Spirit. —Horatio N. Powers.



that, should the two vessels separate, a strict account must afterwards be rendered of all prizes severally taken, whilst the vessel taking a prize should retain three-fifths of its value, surrendering two-fifths to its associate.

(To be continued)

British Capital For Canada

Realize the Need of Opening Facilities in the Dominion

The necessity for serious consideration of establishing branch factories in Canada by certain British traders was fully realized, F. W. Field, senior British trade commissioner in Canada, said in speaking to the Canadian Press at Montreal.

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PROPOSAL FOR AMENDMENT OF THE B.N.A. ACT

Ottawa.—Should the Canadian Parliament have the right to amend the British North America Act, Canada's written constitution? This was a question which held the House of Commons. W. F. MacLean, Conservative, New York, had a motion that the Dominion Parliament should be given such a power instead of amendments coming by way of the British Parliament, as now.

Under Mr. MacLean's motion, the Dominion Parliament would not have the right to pass any amendments affecting the rights of minorities as guaranteed in the B.N.A. Act.

Mr. MacLean urged that Canada should have the same right to amend her own constitution as had South Africa, Australia and the Irish Free State.

Hon. Ernest Lapointe, minister of justice, was opposed to the motion. He took the ground that Confederation was a pact between the federating provinces, and, being a pact, how was it possible for the Dominion Parliament, which resulted from the agreement, to arrogate rights to itself without first consulting the provinces?

"The B.N.A. Act," said Mr. Lapointe, "is not only the charter of the Dominion of Canada, it is the charter of the provinces," and all the provinces should be consulted before the charter was amended.

Can Organize Without Charter

Ku Klux Klan Have Obtained Legal Advice

Toronto.—According to legal authority at the parliament building, the Ku Klux Klan can organize and solicit membership in Ontario without a government charter, which has been refused by the Ontario Government. Hon. Lincoln Goldie, provincial secretary, stated that the matter was closed, as far as he was concerned, with the refusal to grant the charter.

It is learned that one application for a charter came from Windsor, where incorporation was sought under the name Sovereign Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of the British Commonwealth.

Canadian Poultry For Europe

Association Will Ask Government Aid to Establish Market

Ottawa.—With the object of building up a market in Europe for Canadian poultry, the Canadian Poultry Record Association at its annual meeting here decided to ask the government for assistance in the shipment of trial consignments of live poultry breeding stock from Canada to Great Britain and Europe during the coming year.

It was the feeling of the meeting that the advertising secured through the success of Canada poultry at Barcelona and Wembley last year should be taken advantage of.

Pastors For the West

Toronto.—There will be a surplus of ministers in Toronto when the United Church of Canada becomes an actuality. To relieve this situation, it is expected that a considerable number will go to stations in the prairie provinces. Amalgamation of the executive offices of the three uniting churches will also release a few men for pulpit work.

Must Be Kept Out of Politics

Montreal.—"There is a good deal of talk about politics in the railway or the absence of them. I am convinced that the leaders of the three political parties in Canada want politics kept out of the railway and they are quite sincere in this desire," said Sir Henry Thornton, in a speech here.

Early Election Foreseen

Sarnia, Ont.—Hon. Duncan Marshall, chief organizer of the Liberal party in Canada, addressing the West Lambton Liberal Association here, prophesied an early general election and urged Liberals to establish and perfect their organization.

Shoes of aluminum with wooden soles are being manufactured in Germany.

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Exports of Canadian Wheat To the United States

Ottawa.—Exports of Canadian wheat to the United States during the past four years were given in the House in answer to a question by G. G. Coote, Progressive, Macleod. The figures showed that exports in 1921 were almost double those in 1924. Total exports in bushels in 1921 were 46,234,894. In 1922 they were 16,592,797; in 1923, 16,213,629; and in 1924, 21,228,507.

Deliver Report On German Disarmament

Allies Find Proof That Versailles Treaty Was Broken

The report of the allied military control mission, 50 pages long, on the state of Germany's disarmament, accompanied by 12 lengthy annexes, was delivered at the offices of the allied war committee, presided over by Marshal Foch. Copies of the documents were immediately forwarded to the allied governments.

The absorption of the long and detailed expositions of the commission's operations will require a great deal of time, it is said in official circles. Most of the discoveries cited in the documents already have been made public, but a mass of new detail is given in the report, which, in the judgment of those who are aware of its contents, will prove abundantly the allied case against Germany.

Home Bank Depositors

Premier Asks Government to Recognize "Moral Claim" in Equity for Compensation

Ottawa.—Premier King announced in the House of Commons that the government had decided to introduce this session a measure recognizing "the moral claim in equity for compensation" of the Home Bank depositors.

Premier King did not indicate to what extent compensation would be paid.

Right Hon. Meighen asked if the amount would be included in the supplementary estimates. The premier replied, "you will have to wait and see."

Pensioners In Canada

64,068 Are Now Drawing Pensions From the War

Ottawa.—The total number of pensioners of the Dominion Government as a result of the war, on December 10 last, was 64,068.

Of this number, 44,969 were pensioned for disabilities as members of the C.E.F. Dependents receiving pension numbered 19,999. Of the total number of pensioners at the end of last year, 60,746 resided in Canada, 5,431 in the United States, 7,292 in the British Isles, and 599 elsewhere.

Must Improve Dairy Products

Change Is Necessary To Meet The Keen Competition

Ottawa, Ont.—That unless something is done to improve Canadian dairy products for home consumption the people of Canada will soon be using New Zealand cheese and Danish butter, was the statement made in the House of Commons by J. W. Kennedy (Progressive member for Glangarry and Stormont).

"Quite right. That is just what will happen," agreed Hon. W. R. Meighen, minister of agriculture.

Over Million Estimates Approved

Ottawa.—Estimates totalling \$3,403,729 were approved by the house. The items follow: Post office department, civil government vote, \$1,142,729; agricultural department, dairying, including grant to national dairy council, \$230,000; agricultural department, for cold storage warehouses, \$30,000.

Plan Another Pier

Vancouver.—The Vancouver board of harbor commissioners is considering the construction of another great deep sea pier, equal in capacity to the Italian Pier.

Aras School Burned

Aras, France.—This war-wrecked city has lost its boys' college by fire. The damage was estimated at nearly two million francs.

League May Meet in Canada



SIR HERBERT AMES

Canadian director of finances for the League of Nations, who has broached the subject of having the Geneva assembly hold a meeting in the Dominion.

Mrs. Snowden On Food Price Inquiry

First Appearance On Commission Since Return From Canada

London.—Mrs. Ethel Snowden, wife of Philip Snowden, former chancellor of the exchequer in Ramsay MacDonald's cabinet, took her seat when the royal commission investigating food prices resumed its proceedings under the chairmanship of Sir Auckland Geddes. Mrs. Snowden was one of the government nominees to the commission, but this is her first appearance on the commission since her return from Canada.

Arms Conference Considered

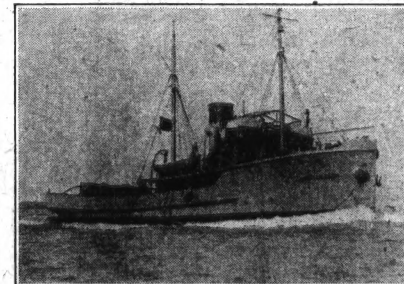
Nothing Definite Yet Says Foreign Secretary Austen Chamberlain

London.—A new armament conference, which the President of the United States would summon, has been mentioned here "in conversations with the American Ambassador, and is at present under consideration," Foreign Secretary Austen Chamberlain announced in the House of Commons in answer to a question by Commander Kenworthy. Questioned further, Mr. Chamberlain begged to be allowed to confine himself, for the present, to the foregoing statement.

Unemployment Figures

Ottawa.—A low level of employment throughout December and early January is indicated in the reports of the Employment Service of Canada. At the beginning of January the percentage of unemployment among members of trade unions was 11.6, as compared with 9.7 at the beginning of December and 7.2 for January, 1924.

The employment index number on January 1 stood at 82.9, compared with 90.8 on December 1 last, with 88.7 on January 1, 1924.



War Vessel For B. C. Coast Service

Built at a cost of \$150,000 for the British Admiralty toward the close of the war, the tug St. Florence, one of a fleet of "Rescue" type vessels, has been added to the Canadian Pacific British Columbia fleet of 28 passenger ships, freighters, barges, ferries and tugs. The St. Florence is now making her way under her own steam from Leith, Scotland, to Victoria via the Panama Canal.

Being equipped with a steam-towing machine she is especially adapted for the work she will be called upon to do in the company's transfer barge service between Vancouver Island points and Vancouver.

The Cost to Date of Royal Grain Inquiry

Ottawa.—The cost to date of the royal grain inquiry commission, which has just reported to the government on grain handling in Canada, is \$167,606. All the accounts are not yet in, and these are estimates at \$27, which will make the total cost to the country \$195,707. This information was given to Hon. R. J. Manion, Conservative, Port William and Rainy River, by Hon. T. A. Low, minister of trade and commerce, in the House of Commons.

Increase in Family Budget

Labor Department Returns Show Advance For January

Ottawa.—The average weekly family budget of 29 staple foods was \$10.77 for January, according to labor department returns. For December last, the budget was \$10.58, and for January a year ago, \$10.78. A similar weekly budget for January, 1923, was \$10.52, and January, 1922, \$11.08. The peak for weekly family budgets was reached in June, 1920, when it totalled \$16.92.

The wholesale prices index number calculated by the Dominion bureau of statistics showed a substantial advance, being 165.2 for January as compared with 160.9 for December, 1924 and 156.7 for January, 1924.

Endorsed Privy Council

Plan to Establish Supreme Court in India Gets No Support

Delhi, India.—A striking tribute to the respect in which the judicial committee of the privy council is held, was paid in the legislative assembly when for the first time since the beginning of the session the Swarajists voted en bloc with the government in opposing a resolution introduced by Sir Hari Singh Gour, the well-known Nagpur lawyer, and first vice-president of the Delhi University, who recommended the establishment of a supreme court in India to dispose of the privy council at London. The motion was defeated by 56 votes to 15.

Pour Liquor Down Sewers

Victoria, B.C.—Destruction of seized liquor held by authorities in various parts of the province was authorized by the government. Some liquor is "bootleg brew" taken in blind pigs, and some is genuine stuff, seized because it did not bear the government seal. Thousands of bottles will be poured down sewers in a general liquor outpouring day, to be named by the officials, in order to eliminate the danger of bad liquor getting on the market.

Would Keep Wilson's Birthday

Washington.—Woodrow Wilson's birthday, December 28, would be set aside as a national holiday, under a resolution offered by Senator Neely (Democrat, West Virginia). This was referred to the judiciary committee.

CANADA NEEDS STRONGER FAITH TO MEET CRISIS

Montreal.—To emerge quickly and triumphantly from the present economic crisis, Canada needs the faith in herself and the spirit of determination and endeavor that saved her during the war, said R. A. Hoey, Progressive M.P. for Springfield, Man., in an address here.

Taking as his subject, "The Present Crisis and the Spirit in Which to Meet It," Mr. Hoey found one redeeming feature in the present Canadian situation. That was "that discouraged agriculturists and depressed business men have become discouraged and depressed and are going through a crisis because of the contribution they made to save civilization from collapse in a former great crisis. But there was an especially depressing feature. That was 'the trend in this country toward scepticism and cynicism, not on the part of the average Canadian, but of too many Canadians.'"

"I know of no easy way out of this crisis," the speaker said in conclusion. "There is but one way—through the path of clean, unselfish living, of determination and endeavor. That was the spirit that saved us in the great crisis and that spirit alone will enable us to emerge triumphantly from the crisis in which we find ourselves today."

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Hungarian Settlers

Large Tracts of Land Purchased in Saskatchewan and Alberta

Winnipeg.—Migration of new settlers to Western Canada will soon be in full swing again, according to statements made by railway and colonization officials.

Announcement was also made here that the first contingent under the Hungarian family settlement scheme, sponsored by Aladar De Gedeon, nobleman of Ams, Hungary, would arrive in Canada late in March. Seventy-five families will arrive about March 25, and they will be followed by another party in April.

Large tracts of land have been purchased by the De Gedeon interests at Indian Head, Sask., and at Trochu, Alta., and it is anticipated that 150 Hungarian families will settle in these districts this year.

Competitions For Stock Judging

Offer \$500 Prizes For Agricultural Contest in Saskatchewan

Saskatoon.—Judging competitions with \$500 worth of prizes will be staged at the Saskatchewan Fair of Agriculture, March 11, 12 and 13 in connection with the short course in bacon hogs and market lambs.

There are five competitions for judging live hogs, wet market lambs, swine carcasses and lamb carcasses, with prizes totalling \$100 offered in each event. Each agricultural society in the province is entitled to enter one member in the course and in addition the Swine Breeders' Association will nominate 30 others. Lectures and demonstrations will be given by various experts.

House Will Consider Canada-U.S. Treaties

Two Coming Up For Approval Before Dominion Parliament

Ottawa.—Two treaties concluded between Canada and the United States will come up for approval before the Dominion Parliament this session. One is the treaty to limit smuggling and the traffic in drugs along the international border. This was signed in Washington, June 6. The other is a treaty signed in Washington, January 8, to enlarge the list of extraditable offences. In each case Premier King will move that the treaty be approved.

Scales Highest Peak in Andes

Buenos Aires, Argentina.—Mount Aconcagua, the highest peak in the Andes, towering 29,399 feet above the sea level, has been scaled by M. F. Ryan, an English railway engineer, who had made two previous unsuccessful attempts to conquer the peak. This summit has been reached by only two other climbers.

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35

ESTRAY, on the premises of
Martin Kotscherovsky, 28, 51, 1,
w-1 black cow, with white
body, has horns; 1 red cow, white
body, white star on forehead, has
horns; 1 red cow, white body,
white face, horns. 35

ESTRAY, on NW 26, 52, 2 w5,
1 black mare, white face, 1 front
and 2 hind legs white, no brand;
1 black mare, hind leg white, no
brand. Hy Shavice, Carvel P.O. 36

ESTRAY, on W half 24, 53, 28,
w4, 1 bay mare, 3 year old; 1 bay
mare 4 year old, white star on
forehead; both chunky, about 950
pounds. W Fitzpatrick. 36

FOR SALE, 4-roomed house and
lot, close to school. Apply Sun
Office. 36

LOST—1 bay mare, 7 years, 1
hind leg white, wt. about 1400
lbs, no brand. 1 black gelding,
white star on forehead, white tip
on nose, coming 5 years, wt. about
1200 lbs. Reward on return to
Geo. Kulak, phone 1002. 37

FOR SALE—Morris Piano, cost
\$600, sell for \$300. Inquire Sun
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FOR SALE—A number of pure-
bred Barred Rock Roosters at
\$1 each. George Helkopf, phone
R1612. 37

LOST—In Stony, small bunch of
keys. Kindly return to The Sun
Office. 37

FOR RENT or For Sale, part of
NW Qr. Sec. 19, T. 52, R. 27,
w 4th, 25 acres, fenced all round
with woven wire; 2-story house,
full basement, cistern for soft
water, furnace, house in good
shape, good land, good water and
2 other good buildings, granaries,
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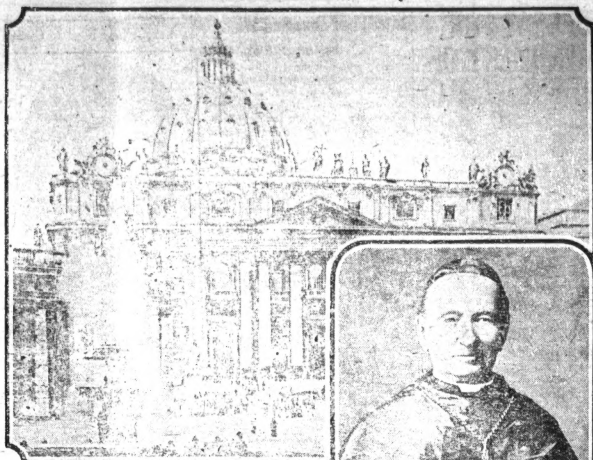
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Canadians Make Pilgrimage to Holy City



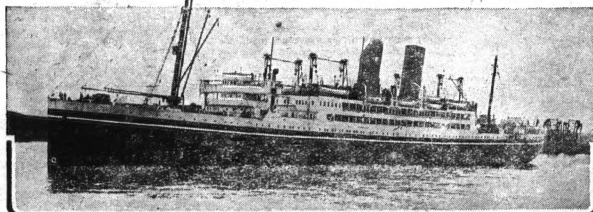
St. Peter's, Rome.

Canadian response to the Papal Bull promulgating the
"Holy Year Universal Jubilee" is, according to
reports of transportation companies operating between
this continent and Europe, assuming unexpected pro-
portions. Canadian Pacific officials report that applica-
tions for accommodation, on the "S.S. Minnedosa",
chartered by the Huns Tours Incorporated to carry
Holy Year pilgrims to Bordeaux this summer, pre-
sented pouring in from all over Canada and the United
States and that the Canadian contingent will be accom-
panied by many dignitaries of the Church in Canada.

The opening rites of Holy Year have already been
performed and the Pontiff formally announcing the
commencement and inviting Catholics the World over to
assemble in Rome has been issued. The purpose of the
Great Jubilee is set forth in the Papal Bull are to live
the year in expiation of sin, and
peace through the unity of all
charity. The opportunity to
preside Pontifical ceremonies
audience afforded them by His
Pius XI, are powerful factors in
many to visit the Holy City.

The Minnedosa sails from

Montreal and



Canadian Pacific S.S. Minnedosa which will carry pilgrims from Canada in May.

His Eminence Cardinal Begin who will head the Canadian
Pilgrimage to Rome, leaving Montreal and Quebec on May
8 next on board the Minnedosa.

Quebec on May 5th next, one of the first sailings from
the St. Lawrence season for Bordeaux where the pilgrims
will disembark and continue their journey by rail, stop-
ping at Lourdes, Carcassonne, Marseilles, Nice and Genoa
en route to Rome. This vessel has accommodation for
seven hundred passengers and in view of the special low
rate quoted for the tour, it is expected that the Minne-
dosa will carry a capacity passenger list.

Although born in Lévis, Quebec, in 1840, Cardinal
Begin is well known in Rome as it was there in 1866, that
the present head of the Roman Catholic Church in
Canada was ordained to the priesthood. In 1868 he was
created bishop of Chicoutimi and, in another three years,
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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

MaJ. Borrett, Dartmouth, N.S., wireless operator, established a two-way communication with Mosul, Mesopotamia.

Viscount Astor has introduced a bill in the Lords to permit women who hold peerages in their own right to sit in the House of Lords.

A bill has been introduced in the Ontario House to abolish the agricultural development board and substitute a single commissioner.

Alfred Stork, Skeena, B.C., will ask in the house for an inquiry to determine the receipts and expenditures by the Dominion to each province.

The Bracken Government does not intend to hold an election this year, according to an announcement made in the Manitoba Legislature.

At the request of her sister who suffered from an incurable disease, Anna Levasseur, of Paris, middle-aged dressmaker, shot and killed Anna, aged 29.

To relieve the French treasury of some of its difficulties, Deputy Louis Loucheur, former minister of commerce, proposes a \$200,000,000 loan abroad.

A committee of the League of Nations has recommended postponing calling an international conference for control of the private manufacture of arms.

A four million dollar loan authorized by the loan act of 1924 and underwritten by the Dominion Securities at 7.385 at five per cent, will be floated in England, according to an announcement.



WELL-MERITED SUCCESS

A distinguished citizen, honored politically and professionally, Dr. R. V. Pierce, whose picture appears above, made a success few have equalled. His pure herbal remedies which have stood the test for fifty years are still among the "best sellers." Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a blood medicine and stomach alterative. It clears the skin, beautifies it, increases the blood supply and the circulation, and purifies and expels various poisons. Beauty is but skin deep and good blood is beneath both. For your blood to be good, your stomach must be in condition for liver action. This Discovery of Doctor Pierce's puts you in fine condition, with all the organs active. Ask your nearest druggist for Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, in tablet or liquid form, or send 10 cents for trial package of tablets to Dr. Pierce's Laboratory, Bridgeport, Ontario.

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Scientist Has New Idea

Claims Origin of Languages Was Signs Of Zodiac

A new ship was launched recently on the seas of archaeology when Edward C. Geiseler, astronomer and searcher of antiquities, asserted he was able to trace the origin of 20 written languages to the sign of the zodiac. His findings, Mr. Geiseler declared, proved that astronomy was a religious science familiar to the more intelligent classes of the ancient world upwards of 15,000 years ago; that the Bible, by means of zodiacal phyls, now may be made to reveal many secrets, religious and historical, which hitherto have been locked books; that Israel has a history going back 6,500 years into a period when its high priests, as revealers of the mysteries of the heavens, were more advanced in some branches of astronomy than the sages of today, and that there have been fundamental errors in the rendering by Egyptologists of some of the earliest inscriptions found in Egypt.

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The wonderful comfort and relief you get from even twenty drops of Nerville will surprise you. Take it in sweetened water; it's not unpleasant. Almost immediately you feel better. Nerville brings up the gas caused by fermenting food and at the same time relieves that distressed feeling in the stomach. When colic or cramps strike you at night, when nausea or upset stomach overcome you, then it is that you'll find Nerville sure relief. For general use in the family, for emergent ills, always keep Nerville handy on the shelf. Get a 35c. bottle to-day.

Dog Hero Dies At Home

Race With Anti-toxin Through Bilzard Caused Frenzied Lung

Balto, leader of Gunnar Kasson's team of Siberian wolves and canine hero in a recent rally race from Nenana to Nome with 300,000 units of diphtheria anti-toxin, is dead according to a report received from Nome.

The report added that Balto and the majority of Kasson's prize team had died from frozen lungs as the result of struggling fifty miles from Buft to Nome for seven and one-half hours in a blinding blizzard that sent the thermometer down to thirty-five degrees below zero.

Its Quality, Sells It.—The fact that so many thousands of intelligent people continue to use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil speaks volumes for its healing efficiency. Ever since it was first introduced it has grown steadily in public favor, owing entirely to its manifold usefulness in relieving and healing sickness. As a specific for colds, coughs, and various inflammatory pains its record is beyond reproach.

Riches of the Earth

Rich Bodies of Ore Believed to Stretch Across Northern Manitoba

There is a good chance that north to one Cobalt, South Lorrain, and Gowanda remain to be discovered in the widely spread pre-Cambrian area that stretches from Ontario through Northern Manitoba, according to V. V. Corlies, prominent Eastern Canadian mining authority, who gave an address at a banquet held under the auspices of the mining bureau of the Winnipeg board of trade.

"Our country's greatest economic need today is more balanced industries, the creation of internal exchange of goods by the development of more varied industries; a happy condition which we never can fully enjoy until we can set in motion the long chain of industries having their starting point in the minerals in the earth's crust," Dr. Corlies said.

Won Strange Wager

On a wager of \$150 a man in Los Angeles remained perched for 13 hours on top of a slender flag pole rising 50 feet above a 13-story building.

Stop the Cough.—Coughing is caused by irritation in the respiratory passages and is the effort to dislodge obstructions that come from inflammation of the mucous membrane. Treatment with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil will allay the inflammation and in consequence the cough will usually stop. Try it and you will be satisfied.

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Here's a tasty nourishing dish you may not have tried. Every member of the family will relish it. One of nearly a hundred tested recipes in the Kraft Cheese Booklet. It's free, mail coupon.

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Adopt Novel Method

Sink Oil Test Well. In City of Medicine Hat

Something novel in the way of oil development will be attempted as the result of a plebiscite taken at Medicine Hat, which authorized the sinking of a contract with C. E. Roth, of Oklahoma, to drill a 3,200-foot test well in the city.

The municipality will purchase natural gas to the extent of \$75,000 in the well within the next ten years, providing oil is not struck. If the well is a commercial oil producer, the city receives the gas free of charge and turns over 8,000 acres of lease to Roth, receiving five per cent. royalty on all oil from this and future wells, as well as the natural gas by-product at three cents a thousand cubic feet.

MADE HER BABY PLUMP AND WELL

Nothing makes a mother more grateful than a benefit conferred upon her child. Mothers everywhere who have used Baby's Own Tablets for their children speak in enthusiastic terms of them. For instance, Mrs. Zephier Lavelle, Three Rivers, Que., writes: "Baby's Own Tablets are wonderful medicine for little ones. They never fail to regulate the baby's stomach and bowels, and make him plump and well. I always keep a box of the Tablets in the house and would advise all mothers to do likewise." Most of the ordinary ailments of childhood arise in the stomach and bowels, and can be quickly banished by Baby's Own Tablets. These Tablets relieve constipation and indigestion, break up colds and simply force, expel worms, allay teething pains and promote healthful sleep. They are guaranteed to be free from injurious drugs and are safe even for the youngest and most delicate child. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25c a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

In making a goose nature requires a lot of quills, but a man can make a goose of himself with only one quill.

Children suffering from worms soon show the symptoms, and any mother can detect the presence of these parasites by the writhings and frettings of the child. Until expelled and the system cleared of them, the child cannot regain its health. Miller's Worm Powders are prompt and efficient, not only for the eradication of worms, but also as a tonic up for children that are run down in consequence.

Shortage of Seed Potatoes

A shortage of seed potatoes in Saskatchewan and throughout the west is indicated in reports received by the markets branch of the department of agriculture.

FACE AFFECTED WITH ECZEMA

Also Behind Ears and On Limbs. Cuticura Heals.

"I was affected with eczema which broke out in a rash. I had it on my face, behind my ears and on my limbs. My skin was sore and red and my clothing aggravated it. It itched and burned causing me to scratch, and sometimes I could not sleep at night. My face was disfigured.

"I finally read an advertisement for Cuticura Soap and Ointment and sent for a free sample. I got relief so purchased more, and after using one box of Cuticura Ointment and one of Cuticura Soap, I was healed." (Signed) Miss Arvilla C. Cryslor, 3639 Taylor St. N. E., Minneapolis, Minn.

Use Cuticura for all toilet purposes. Beware! Ask for Dr. McGee's Cuticura Soap, Ointment and use both. Beware! Try our new Shaving Stick.

Success With Corn

By Jas. D. McGregor, Glenora, Stock Farms, Brandon, Manitoba

Part 3
Corn, to make good silage or fodder, should also be practically mature—past the roasting ear stage, the better feed it will make. This generally means, in this section, that we have to leave our corn uncut until the danger of heavy frosts comes on. We find that frosts that early only nip the leaves do not do any great damage to the corn and it will continue to mature. At times though it is a question as to just how much frost would make it advisable to cut the corn. This largely depends on when the frost occurs. We often have our first frost about the first of September and then the weather will warm up and there will be no more for perhaps another two weeks or more. This extra two weeks means a lot to the corn crop. So we generally figure that if the corn is fairly mature at the time of the first frost we go ahead and cut it and start siling the silos. If the corn was green and immature and the early frost only nipped the leaves, and it looked as though there would be no more frost for some time, we let it stand and chance that the further maturing of the corn will more than offset the damage done by the frost. If a heavy frost does come and the corn is killed down to the ear so that the top and leaves would soon dry out and blow away the corn should be cut without any delay and stacked or put into the silos as soon as possible. We have been caught this way and found it necessary to put another shift on to the bladders in order to get the corn cut with little loss.

Corn which is cut on the green side should be allowed to lie on the ground for a day or so before putting it into the silo or stook. Drying the corn for a short time this way makes sweeter silage than when silaged too green. If stacked too green there is some chance of it moulding in the stook.

If a farmer has but a small patch of corn it may be cut by hand. The grain blower will handle corn of medium height quite satisfactorily. If a large amount of heavy corn is up be cut it pays to have a corn blower. The blunders should be made rather small which makes them easier to handle.

There is some difference of opinion as to the size to make the stooks. We prefer a fairly large stook made up of about 40 bundles, if the corn is to be left in the field until fed. In making these stooks we use a sort of "stooking bar" which consists of a 2x2 pole about 6 feet long, sharpened at one end and with a cross piece at the top. This is thrust into the ground and two men place the bundles around it. This is then moved after a start has been made. When finished, the bundles should be firmly compressed together towards the top by running a light rope with a ring on the end of it around the stook and then tie with binder twine.

put up in this manner will stand indefinitely with very little waste. In order to overcome the difficulty of getting the corn out of snow covered stooks, the corn when well cured and the snow comes may be hauled in and put into stacks. These stacks should be built fairly narrow and a layer of straw or hay put in between every layer of bundles. They can also be run through a cutting box, mixed with green feed or straw, and blown into the lot.

(To be continued)

Minard's Liniment for the Grippe

Rum Smugglers Active

Britain Has a Bootlegging Problem on Her Hands

Great Britain has a bootlegging problem, says the Westminster Gazette, which may necessitate the adoption of special measures. The trouble arises from the fact that the price of spirits in France is only about half that in Britain, where the duty is very high. This encourages smugglers to run contraband spirit across the English Channel in small motor boats and land them on unfrequented parts of the English coast, whence they are taken to London and other large cities in motor lorries. These ventures are financed substantially and bring big profits, according to the paper.

When a bachelor gets tired of leading a single life he should get married and be fed.

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Treat Colds Externally

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Japs Send Money Home

Remittances home by Japanese working abroad are an appreciable offset to the country's adverse trade balance for the year 1924. For eleven months these have amounted to 32,000,000 yen. It is stated that of this amount, 20,000,000 yen came from Japanese in North America. This sum is five times the amount remitted in 1923.

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Stony Plain and District.

Inga Councilors meet in
Stony Plain Friday Mar. 6.
Mr E Pitzler brought in a
load of work horses from
Irma on Friday last.

A meeting will be held in
Stony Plain on Saturday next
the 28th, of the farmers, dairy
producers and egg and poultry
producers, in connection
with the Alberta Co-operative
Pools. Addresses will be
given by W F Stevens, of the
Livestock Dept., and D J
Christie. It is expected that
Assemblyman Moody Wash-
burn will preside.

Mr Charles Schultz is said
to be negotiating for Sunny-
brook Farm, which adjoins
his dairy farm to the south.
This is Wm Gilbert's old lay-
out. While in Stony last week
"Bill" reported everything
was prospering fine at his
new home just north of Ed-
monton.

Mr Gustav Mintz has leased
the farm at Glory Hills
belonging to Mr Carl Strass,
and will work it the coming
season. Mr Strass will re-
sume his old occupation of
contractor and builder. Mr
Mintz place, close to town,
will probably be taken by
Gus Munro, the well known
horseman, formerly of Sanga-
do.

A very good crowd was in
attendance at the dance in
Bright Bank School house
Friday night, and danced to
the music of the local orches-
estra.

Roy N Shermin of Spruce
Grove and Val M Hennig,
Golden Spike, have been ap-
pointed Commissioners for
Oaths.

Mr Ph Geistlinger, Golden
Spike, was operated on this
week in an Edmonton hos-
pital.

A big time is promised at
Holborn Hall the night of
Friday Feb. 27th, when an-
other of the popular dances
will be given.

Watch for the red stamp on
your paper "Subscription has
expired."

Applications for auto licen-
ses may be had at The Sun
Office.

Concert at Spruce Grove.

The following is the pro-
gram of the concert given in
Schwind's Hall by the Ladies
Aid of St Joseph's Church:

Opening—O Canada
Overture, piano solo—Mr Brosseau
Vocal solo—Mrs McLeod
Violin solo—Mr J Gratton
Vocal solo—Mr J Sylvestre
Violin solo—Mr I Gratton
Vocal solo—Mr J Sylvestre
Piano solo—Mr Brosseau
Sketch—"Not a Man in the House"
Mrs Biggs, a fashionable lady—
Mrs McLeod
Lucy Hyder, her favorite sister—
R McKinlay
Jessie Reed, her charming niece—
P Andrews
Aunt Belinda, a friend of the
Young—Mrs Sherwin
Kate, the Irish maid—Mrs Baker
God Save the King.

Railway Time Table.

Grand Trunk Railway.
Going east, 2:40 p.m.—Monday,
Wed., Friday.
5:45 a.m., every morning, stops
on flag only.
Going west, 1:30 p.m.—Prince Rupert
Express, Monday, Wed-
nesday and Saturday.
1:03 a.m., every day, Vancouver
Express; stops on flag only.

Stony Plain and District.

A very enjoyable house
party was given at the John
Stinner residence on Sunday
evening last.

Mrs Carl Hoffman was taken
home this week from the
Misericordia hospital.

Mr Oscar Rivest, Morin-
ville, and Miss Rose Rivest
were visiting over the week-
end with Mr and Mrs Joseph
Rivest.

Several communications re
wide bunk sleighs—mostly
answers to "Carless Farmer"
—are held over to next week,
owing to lack of space.

A box car on an east-bound
freight jumped the track two
miles east of town Saturday
morning, delaying the pass-
enger service for a few hours.

An excellent concert was
given last Friday evening by
the Young People's Society of
St Matthew's Church. The
hall was crowded to the doors
and the S.R.O. sign was hung
out shortly after eight. Each
number on the program was
enacted in a very hearty man-
ner. Mr Nette, on the piano,
was quite a drawing card.

Did you notice Johnny Mil-
ler doing Main street Monday
with his Ford Snowmobile,
Henry's newest machine for
getting over the snow-blocked
roads? The fore part is on
gliders, and an extra pair of
wheels at the rear give a cur-
eupillar tread. The trip from
the City was made without
any difficulty and in a sur-
prisingly short time.

The Market Report.

WHEAT.	
No. 1 Northern	1.67
No. 2	1.65
No. 3	1.59
No. 4	1.51
OATS.	
2 C. W.	0.45
3 C. W.	0.43
Extra 1 Feed	0.42
No. 1 Feed	0.39
No. 2 Feed	0.35
BARLEY.	
No. 3	0.73
No. 4	0.71
Feed	0.70
Rejected	0.60
RYE.	
No. 2	0.90

ATTENTION!

Tenders are called for by the
building committee of the St. Paul's Lu-
theran congregation of Golden Spike,
Alta., for a new church. Size of
church is 60x42 ft. Lumber not to be
included in tender. Plans of church
may be seen at the Secretary's house,
nine miles south of Spruce Grove,
Alta. Tenders to be sent in sealed
envelopes must be hands of secretary
by the first of April 1925.
R. HILDEBRANDT, Secretary.

LOST—Watch, in Stony Plain.
Please return to B. Maisenko.

FOR SALE—Green tamarack
fence posts, 5 cents; pickets 2
for 5c; only out to order. Order
yours now by mail with dollar de-
posit. Mark P.O. notes. Care of
Address Herbert Stirling, Bright
Bank P.O. who is agent for owner.

FOR SALE—Fresh cow. Th.
Wudel. Phone R1202.

For Fine Shoe Repairs

Bring Your Shoes to the
Stony Plain Shoe Repair Shop
CARL FISCHER, Prop.

DANCE!

HOLBORN HALL.
Friday, Feb. 27th.
GOOD MUSIC.
EVERYBODY WELCOME!

WANTED—HGO Healey More-
dith Bros, Stony Plain. 23

LOST—Upper set of teeth, 2 or 3
miles south of St. Matthew's
school, on road south. Reward on
return to Sun Office. 23

LOST—1 Bay Mare, 8 years,
FD and 1 Black Mare, 4 years,
with white feet and big star on
forehead; both branded, on left
shoulder as above. Lewis Scheide-
man, Duffield. 23

FOR SALE, FARM—NE 36, Tp.
51, Rg. 1 W5; 6 miles south of
town, good house, good well, fairly
good build; \$9000. Joe Urdel
Stony Plain P.O. 39

FOUND—End gate of a wagon
Apply Sun Office. 39

Here and There

Mineral production in Canada for
1924 is estimated at \$209,194,000,
as compared with \$214,079,331 in
the preceding year, according to a
preliminary statement issued by the
Department of Mines. Metallic
minerals accounted for \$98,004,000
of the total, followed by fuels and
other non-metals with \$73,830,000,
and structural materials and clay
products with \$33,330,000.

The Port of Montreal created a
new world record in 1924 for the
amount of grain handled by any one
port in any one year, namely, 165,
139,399 bushels, while from January
1 to November 30 the handled 34,
369,568 bushels more than her near-
est competitor and 17,332,709
bushels more than the seven next
busiest ports combined.

Described as the finest coastal
vessel in the world, the "Princess
Kathleen," recently launched by
Lady Mount Stephen, widow of the
late Lord Mount Stephen, a former
president of the Canadian Pacific
Railway, left Glasgow on January
15 on her ten thousand mile journey
through the Panama canal to join
the Canadian Pacific's fleet of
coastal steamships plying the sea-
board of British Columbia.

A historic pageant of some pro-
portions is being planned by the Cal-
gary exhibition board for this year,
its object being to commemorate the
fiftieth anniversary of the
founding of the city by the old
North-West Mounted Police in 1875.
In the period which has since
elapsed, Calgary has grown to be
an extremely busy, modern city,
having a population of 75,000. A
stampede similar to those held in
Calgary in previous years is also
planned for this summer.

The itinerary of the "All Blacks,"
New Zealand's world-famous rugby
team, hitherto unbeaten, in their
tour of Canada, was announced by
the Canadian Pacific recently. Land-
ing at St. John, N.B., on January
31, from the company's steamship
"Montaurier," the team will pro-
ceed across the Dominion via Cana-
dian Pacific lines. They will make
short stays at Montreal, on Feb-
ruary 1; Toronto, February 2; Niaga-
ra Falls, February 3; Calgary,
February 6; Banff, February 7-9;
Vancouver, February 10-21, and sail
from San Francisco on the 25th.
Calgary is giving them a ball and
dance at the Palliser Hotel, they will
take part in the Banff winter car-
nival, and winter teams from Van-
couver and Victoria while on the
coast.

Very heavy summer travel is an-
ticipated by the Canadian Pacific
Railway during 1925, especially to
conventions on the Pacific coast of
Canada and the United States, C. B.
Foster, passenger traffic manager
of the company, announced recently.
Canadian and American railroads
expect 150,000 persons to attend
these conventions, some of which
will be very large. At least thirty
westward bound special trains, and
as many eastward bound, will be
provided by the Canadian Pacific
to handle the delegates. Mr. Foster
stated, and Banff and Lake Louise
expect great seasons, as so many
of the travellers will stop off at
those famous mountain resorts.
There will also be a very heavy
movement to conventions in east-
ern Canada and the western United
States.